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Title: MAMMALIAN SUBTILISIN-KEXIN ISOZYME SKI-1: A PROPROTEIN CONVERTASE

WITH A UNIQUE CLEAVAGE SPECIFICITY

SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.28 (c)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir

The present is to inform the United States Patent and Trademark Office that although the status of small entity for the above-cited patent was established in good faith, and fees as a small entity were paid in good faith, it has now been discovered that such status as a small entity was established in error for payment of the issue fee.

Applicant therefore asks the Commissioner to excuse this error since paragraphs of §1.28 (c) (1) and (2) are complied with herein.

- Itemization of particular types of fees erroneously paid as a small entity: 1)
 - a. Issue Fee:
 - i. Current fee amount for non-small entity: 1400.00\$
 - ii. Fee amount actually paid: 700.00\$ iii. Date of Payment: December 18, 2006
 - iv. Deficiency owed amount: 700.00\$
- 2) Total deficiency payment owed: 700.00\$

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of 700.00\$ to deposit account no. 17-0055.

Respectfully submitted.

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